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House of Representatives

The House met at 1 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. STUTZMAN).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
May 31, 2016.

I hereby appoint the Honorable MARLIN A. STUTZMAN to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

PAUL D. RYAN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Eugene Hemrick, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

O Lord, on the House side of the U.S. Capitol is the frieze titled The Apotheosis of Democracy, depicting the horn of plenty with which you have blessed our country and the industriousness of those responsible for it.

As we enter the season of summer, we pray that You bless those here who govern and the governed with Your divine wisdom needed to continue the awe-inspiring prosperity with which You have provided us.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution 744, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 744, the House stands adjourned until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, June 3, 2016.

Thereupon (at 1 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, June 3, 2016, at 4:30 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5536. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Report to Congress on the Newborn Screening Program, pursuant to Public Law 113-240; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5537. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Office of Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's intent to sign the Memorandum of Understanding among Australia, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Germany, Greece, The Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, and Turkey for the Cooperative Production of the Evolved SEASPARROW Missile Block 2, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); Public Law 90-629, Sec. 27(f) (as amended by Public Law 113-276, Sec. 208(a)(4)); (128 Stat. 2993); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5538. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — International Traffic in Arms: Revisions to Definition of Export and Related Definitions [Public Notice: 9487] (RIN:1400-AD70) received May 25, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5539. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Inspector General's semiannual report for

October 1, 2015, through March 31, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) Sec. 5(b); Public Law 95-452, Sec. 5(b); (92 Stat. 1103); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5540. A letter from the Chairman and Members, Federal Labor Relations Authority, transmitting the Authority's Semiannual Report to Congress for the period October 1, 2015, through March 31, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) Sec. 5(b); Public Law 95-452, Sec. 5(b); (92 Stat. 1103); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5541. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the report entitled "Review of the Allotment of the Clean Water State Revolving Fund" report to Congress, pursuant to Public Law 113-121, Sec. 5005; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. CHAFFETZ: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 4361. A bill to amend section 3554 of title 44, United States Code, to provide for enhanced security of Federal information systems, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 114-599). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. CHAFFETZ: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 4902. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to expand law enforcement availability pay to employees of U.S. Customs and Border Protection's Air and Marine Operations (Rept. 114-600). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. CHAFFETZ: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 4906. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to clarify the eligibility of employees of a land management agency in a time-limited appointment to compete for a permanent appointment at any Federal agency, and for other purposes (Rept. 114-601). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H. Res. 764. A resolution honoring in praise and remembrance the wonderful achievements in academic, athletic and humanitarian distinction of Quincy Williams; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H. Res. 765. A resolution honoring in praise and remembrance the outstanding achievements in scholastic, athletic and humanitarian excellence of Mr. Sarid Chaim Shahdaiah; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

245. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 236, requesting the Congress of the United States call a convention of the states to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 430: Ms. TITUS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 592: Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 836: Mr. TIPTON and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 1062: Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. FINCHER, and Mr. MULLIN.

H.R. 1733: Mr. TROTT.

H.R. 2083: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 2290: Mr. KATKO.

H.R. 2411: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CONYERS, and Mrs. DINGELL.

H.R. 2539: Mr. NORCROSS.

H.R. 2646: Mr. KNIGHT.

H.R. 2902: Mr. KILMER.

H.R. 2980: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 3084: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 3225: Mrs. RADEWAGEN.

H.R. 3520: Mr. SCHRADER.

H.R. 3687: Mr. BEYER, Mr. CONYERS, and Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 4275: Mr. MOOLENAAR.

H.R. 4333: Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. MACARTHUR, and Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 4365: Mr. PITTENGER and Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 4443: Mr. O'ROURKE.

H.R. 4585: Mr. GRAYSON.

H.R. 4626: Mr. YODER.

H.R. 4849: Mr. GIBBS.

H.R. 4870: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 5044: Ms. SINEMA, Mr. WALZ, Mr. HINES, Mr. CLEAVER, and Mr. BEYER.

H.R. 5181: Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 5253: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 5262: Mr. SANFORD.

H.R. 5272: Ms. NORTON, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 5292: Mr. HONDA, Miss RICE of New York, and Mr. MCKINLEY.

H.R. 5338: Mr. LAMALFA.

H.R. 5356: Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. WEBER of Texas, and Mr. O'ROURKE.

H.R. 5361: Mr. NEAL.

H. Con. Res. 36: Mr. BEYER.

H. Con. Res. 89: Mr. DESANTIS.

H. Res. 683: Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts.

H. Res. 686: Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. KUSTER, and Ms. SPEIER.

H. Res. 717: Mr. TIPTON.

H. Res. 759: Mr. MOULTON.